

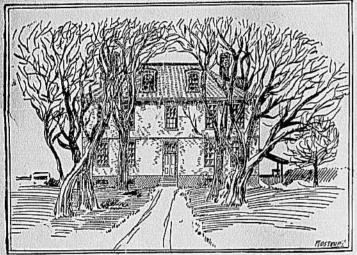
The Measure of the Man

who favors me with his order for a suit is taken with great care, and cut and made by expert cutters and tailors in my own shop. Modern and progressing l'alloring Ideas enable me to turn out Suits which are the very acme of perfection in style, fib, and dhish. My line of Blue Serges is immense.

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907 Main Street.

NOTABLE HOME AT JAMESTOWN



HOME OF THE AMBLERS, JAMESTOWN.

One of the most notable of all Virginia homes was that of the Amblers on Jamestown Island.

The first Ambler house was built probably in 1640. While it has been partially burned several times it has always till now been rebuilt on the same spot with the same material so far as possible. Its builder was Wm. Cary, the greatgrandfather of Mary Cary, who was courted in vain by George Washington. This house was doubtless destroyed for the first time in 1670 during Rugon's rebellion. It has been twice or more times destroyed since that time, the last time not more than ten years and. It remains a heap of ruins and broken and charred walls.

One of the last residents of the house was Mrs. Edward E. Barney, who had

ON EASTER MONDAY IN CHESTERFIELD

aration has been begun for an entertainment to be given in Chesterfield Court-house on Easter Monday night, under the hause on Easter Monday night, under the direction of the Young Woman's Temperance Union, and plans have been made for an elaborate programme. Entertainments of a like nature have hereotofore proven successful and enjoyable here, where the young people are always willing to lend their talents when called upon to provide an evening's programme for the public enjoyment. Miss Bessie Hagby has undertaken the work of drilling the children of her private school and others of

SPECIAL RATES VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY FOR THE FOLLOWING OCCASION:

Virginia Conference Epworth League, Danville, Va., March 26-29, 1903.

Very low rate, in accordance with Special TaFin 2, from all points in the State to Danville and return. Tickets on spic March 25th to 28th, inclusive, with return limit March 31st.

Meeting National Manufacturers' Asso-ciation, New Orleans, La., April 15-17, 1903.

1903.

One fare for the round-trip from all points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, to New Orleans and return. Tickets on sale April 11th, 12th and 13th, with return limit April 19th, with privilege of extension of limit, by payment of 50 cents, to April 30th.

Southern Educational Conference, Rich-mond, Va., April 22-27, 1903. One and a third fares for the round-

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National Conference Charities and Corrections, Atlanta, Ga., May 8-12, 1903.

One fare plus 25 cents for the round-trip from all points. Tickets on sale May 4th and 5th; return limit May 16th. Southern Baptist Convention and Aux-illary Societies, Savannah, Ga., May

7-14, 1903.

One fare plus 25 cents for the round-trip from all points. Tickets on sale May 6th, 6th and 7th, with return limit May 20th. Also side trips from Savannah during this occasion at very low rates.

United Confederate Veterans' Reunion, New Orleans, La., May 19-22, 1903. One cent per mile each way for the round-trip. Tickets on sale May 16th to 21st, inclusive; return limit. May 24th. Privilege of extension of return limit, by payment of 50 cents, to June 15th.

General Ascembly Cumberland Presby terian Church, Nashville, Tenn., Ma 21-29, 1903.

21-29, 1903.
One fare plus 25 cents for the round-trip from all points in Virginia, North-and South Carolina. Tickets on sale May 19th, 20th and 21st, with return limit June 1st.

Thirteenth Annual Meeting Southern Educational Association, Asheville, N. C., June 30-July 3, 1903.

One fare plus 25 cents, plus \$2.00 mem-bership fee, for the round-trip from all

National Convention B. Y. P. U. of America, Atlanta, Ga., July 9-12, 1903. One fare plus 25 cents for the round-trip from all points. Tickets on sale July 7th to 16th, inclusive, with return limit July 15th.

My spring goods are now on exhibition for this season. I shall be glad to have my customers and the public to call and examine them. It is a pleasure to show them, Y. Colawita, 202 North Fifting Street

ONLY ONE NIGHT,
TO New Orleans, Memphis, Chattanooga, Nashville, from Washington,
Richmond or Norfolk yia Southern Railway.

the neighborhood, who will contribute several selections, including a fan drill.

"When are you going to unveil the monument?" people are beginning to ask when they pass through the courthouse yard and look upon the veiled memorial to our Confederate dead. No definite reply has ever been given by those who have been most closely connected with the crection of the monument, but sympathizers with the burdened housewives generally say that the unveiling should be postponed until the hot weather, when entables are pientiful, for the whole county and many more are expected to turn out on the great occasion.

Mr. Robert B. Maxwell, a veteran of the Civil War, is quite sick at his home, a short distance from the courthouse, and fears are entertained that he may never recover.

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Sheriff William C. Gill, who was detained from court last week by an attack of the grip, has recovered sufficiently to look after his official duties this week.

Miss Nannie Brooks, who was called to her home in Skinquarter the first of the month by the illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Wilkinson, has returned, and is conducting her school at Salem this week.

It is understood that the Bell Telephone Company purposes to put Chestorfield in telephone connection with both Richmond and Petersburg as soon as the right of way to the main line between the cities from this place can be secured. This will be a great convenience to those in the cities who have frequent business connected with the county clerk's office, and will save much delay in communicating with the keeper of the records, as the mail service here is poor.

WILL TESTIFY IN SOUTHERN MERGER CASE

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 21.—The nterstate Commerce Commission has summoned the following persons to testify in Terms, \$6 per month. 2 \$400 Upright Pianos out on rent have been brought in and put in nice condition, will be sold this week for 2017 moned the following persons to testify in trip. Tickets on sale April 20th and 21st from points in State of Virginia; from other points 20th, 21st and 22d, with return limit April 28th.

Meeting American Medical Association, New Orleans, La., May 5-8, 1903.

One fare for the round-trip. Tickets

St. John's Lodge.

A special communication of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was held at Masonic Temple on Friday night, when the first and second degrees were Another special communication has been ordered for to-morrow night.

SHELTERING ARMS MAKES AN APPEAL

Free.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch: Sir.-The Sheltering Arms Free Hospital, the only absolutely free hospital in the State, find that they are compelled to appeal to a generous public this spring

At all times the hospital is taxed to its nimost to take care of the destitute sick. This year the demand has been greater than usual. We are now crowded, and many waiting to be admitted. Heretofore we have received from the City Council an appropriation of \$600 per year. To us it was of assistance, but being deprived of the appropriation this year, we are forced to bring our needs before the charity-loving people of the city, and ask that six hundred citizens donate \$1 each to the hospital, thus making up the deficiency in our yearly amount and cable the hospital to remain open until July, otherwise we will be compelled to close much sooner than is our custom during the summer months.

Without this was will have to refuse those who are begging to come within the doors of the Sheltering Arms. All who desire to gld this noble charity can send their donations to the hospital or to the treasurer, No. 566 East Leigh Street, city. At all times the hospital is taxed to its

hospital or last Leigh Rassay. This is J. F. L.

HEAVY WEEK IN THE LEGISLATURE

Senate to Tackle Corporations and Finance-House Work.

There is every prospect for a heavy week in legislative circles, and it is expected that some spirited debates will take place, especially on the Schate side. That body, which has been heretofore meeting at noon, will meet from now on

meeting at nuon, will meet from now on at 10 o'clock, and will consider the intricate subjects of corporations and finance and taxation for the next month at least. The House has passed through the throes incident to the consideration of these measures, but has by no means completed all of its heavy work. Many standing committees will report to the House within the next few weeks, and for the next ten days there is enough work on the calendar to keep the body busy. The House will meet at noon to-morrow, but will resume its 10 o'clock sessions but will resume its 10 o'clock sessions

but will resume its 10 o'clock sessions on Tuesday.

The Senate will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow, and will take up the bill defining the powers and duties of the new Corporation Commission, which has already passed the House, and the omnibus revenue bill will come up as a special and continuing order at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday, and over this will come a "tug of war." The amendment embodying the principles of the Mann bill will cause a big fight, as will also a great many others, and the bill may be on the calendar for many weeks.

The Legislature will likely be here until the first of July, if not later. til the first of July, if not later.

SAYS RELIEF IS NEEDED

Mr. Owen Discusses His Commission Merchants' Bill.

Hon. John J. Owen, of Prince Edward, in discusing his bill to amend the laws in relation to commission merchants,

In relation to commission merchants, said;

"I have received many letters from various sections in the State asking me to push my bill in regard to commission merchants. I want to say to the many friends of the bill that I propose to do all in my power to push it and to secure its passage. The bill will be considered by the Committee on Courts of Justice Monday evening next at 4 o'clock.

"It is not my desire to do anything to injure the business of an honest man, nor do I believe that all commission men are unfair or dishonest in their dealings, yet from the number of complaints I have received from every section of the State I am forced to believe that the humble shipper of farm produce needs more protection and a wider field for investigation, when he has cause to ihink he has been treated unfairly. The farmers, as a class, are the most conservative people in the State. They have made but few domands upon the law-relater for protection and my when you made but few demands upon the lawmakers for protection, and when you hear the demand coming from every county in the State, 'push your bill, it is what we have needed for many years," you may know there is something "rotten in Denmark."

A Strong Combination.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SCOTTSVILLE, VA., March 21.—Jackson Beal and A. McGhee, candidates for the treasurership of Albermarie county, have formed a combination. McGhee is now the candidate, and if elected Beal will be associated with him in running the office. This will be a strong combination and

A FEW

Bargains

We Wish to Dispose of

4 New Pianos like you

pay \$350 for in other

stores, we will sell at \$190.

25 Square Pianos in

The only store in Rich-

mond where genuine bar-

gains in musical instru-

ments can always be found.

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The Oldest and Biggest Broad-Street Music Store.

213 East Broad Street J. G. CORLEY, Manager.

good order from \$25 to \$75. Terms, \$2 and \$3

Terms, \$5 per month.

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will be very apt to defeat any other candidates.

Mr. Shapp, who lives about two miles from Scottsville, has been greatly afflicted recently. About a week ago a daughter about fourteen years of age died, and a few days later a son about twenty-one years of age. Mr. Shapp came here from the Valley of Virginia, and just before leaving the Valley his property was destroyed by fire. About two or those much destroyed the house in which he was living, with considerable household furniture.

GROWING LEE DISTRICT

Many Handsome Homes Now Under Construction-Others Contemplated. No section of the city is so fast being built up as the new and growing section of Lee District. Last year the number of houses erected there far surpassed the expectations of the most sanguing, and the present year, from present indications, bids fair to surpass that of the past.

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One going out to the monument sees
handsome homes being orected in every
direction, and as fast as they are completed purchasers or tenants are easily
found. A well known contractor stated
yesterday that he had secured the contract for five brick houses, and another
contractor stated that he was now at
work on six homes in that section.

A well known clitzen has bought within
the past few days a lot on Monument
Avenue, and is now having plans made
for a three-story, astractive brick dwellling. In talking with a gontleman who
has invested a great deal of money in
improvements in the city, he stated that
he is having the plans made for three
brick houses which he expects to start
within a few weeks.

The new granolithic sidewalk on
Monument Awenne has added greatily to opening up that section of
the city, and every evoning ene finds
hundreds of people walking there.
Four handsome homes are under comstruction at the corner of Hanover and
Vine; four on Grove Avenue, near
Meadow; two on Hanover, near Rowland;
six on Grace, near Allen Avenue, and
several on Grace, west of Meadow. These
are only a few of the many handsome
rosidences now under construction in
that locality.

The city is pursuing a wise course, in
so fast improving its streets, and parties
buildings can now secure all the conveniences to be had in the heart of the
city.

TOO WET TO PLAY

Phillies to Meet Randolph-Macon Team To-Morrow Afternoon.

As a result of the heavy rain, the scheduled game between the Philadelphias and the team which will represent Richmond in the State league was post-

The Phillies will play the Randolph-Macon College team to-morrow afternoon.

In Louisa County. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DUNRBATH, VA., March 21.—A very
small acroage of tobacco will be planted
this season in this section on account of
the scarcity of labor.
Misses Willic and Conway Longan are
the guests of Mrs. W. T. Woolfolk this

SEVEN PINES.

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Last evening a social 5op was given at "Pine Grove" pavilion by Mr. Edward Grigg, who entertained his guests most royally. About fifteen couples were present in response to invitations sent out by the Entertainment Committee.

After a most enjoyable evening an elegant repast was served at a late hour. August Hyer, one of the oldest residents of the town, has had a relapse, and is now critically ill at his home here.

Miss Grace Reid, who has been quite III, is now able to be out. Miss Carrio Lyne visited Richmond Thursday, and was the guest of a dinner party given in her honor.

The land set apart for a park is being

Before the summer fairly sets in an-Before the summer fairly sets in another attractive plants ground will entice the city folks to spend their holidays breathing the ezone of the pines and gathering fresh vigor for their labors. The roll of honor for Seven Pines school is as follows: Nellie Werner, Freddy Werner, Hazel Reid, Earl Reid, Courtland Tiller, Carrie Wright, Eddie Wright, Virgie Bottoms, Bernard Bottoms Raymond Bottoms, Sam Taylor, Bob Taylor, Sadle Tiller, Johanna Wessel, Freddy Posenaw, Harry Posenaw.

Interesting One Offered by Messrs. Baker and Carter.

Capt. W. W. Baker, of Chesterfield, and Hon, E. M. Carter, of Scott, offered in the House yesterday the following interesting amendment to the general fence Be it enacted by the General Assembly

of Virginia, That Section 2,048 of the Code of 1887, as amended and re-enacted by an act approved February 26, 1896, as amended and re-enacted by an act ap-

amended and re-enacted by an act approved March 7, 1900, be amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

The Board of Supervisors of any county, when petitioned to exchange the existing law by a majority of the fresholders, who are registered voters of any county or magisterial district thereof, or any selected portion of such county or magisterial district, after posting a notice of the time and place of meeting for thirty days at the front door of the courthouse and at each voting place in of the time and place of meeting for thirty days at the front door of the courthouse and at each voting place in the county, and by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks in some newspaper of such county, if any such be printed therein, a majority of the board being present, shall take action favorable to such petition, and declare the boundary lines of each lot or tract or land in such county, or in any magisterial district thereof, or in any selected portion of such county, to be a lawful fence, or what shall constitute a lawful fence, as to any or all of the animals mentioned in section twenty hundred and forty-two; and to the extent the said board shall so declare, the boundaries of each lot and tract of land, or such other fence as the Board of Supervisors shall determine upon, shall constitute a lawful fonce as to the said animals, or such of them as may be named, after three months from the time of such action by the board, and, to such extent shall be inoperative from and after the said three months. This act shall be in force from fis passage.

OPENING SALE OF SPRING SUITS.

A Debut of the Authorative Fashions for Women.



Our Department is complete in all the novelties, made up in the newest and most approved stylesthe most popular materials, in solid colored cloths etamines, voiles, cheviots, Scotch mixtures, invisible

Bolero, Blouse and 27-inch Coat effects are most prominently shown.

Short Jackets in fly front, 19-inch hip effect, Russian blouse, Louis XIV and 3-4 lengths in cloth, silk, voile and Indian pongee. Colors: Black, tan and other nov-

Separate Skirts, walking and dress lengths, in black, blue, tan and cream; also the new black and white designs. The materials shown represent every fancy of

Silk and Fancy Waists, also Waists in wash materials, in black, white and all colors

Girls' Tailored Suits in Peter Our Liliputian Department son style, to fit all ages, in brilliantine, serge and cheviot; also Junior Suits with fancy blouse effects for Misses from 14 to 18 years. Made up in light weight

Coats for the Girls in cheviot, covert cloth, silk or pongee are shown in reefer and box coat styles.

cloths and other new fancy weaves.

Dresses for Children—

ages 1 year to 6-in Indian linon, nainsook and self-finished cambric; styles: French long waist, mother hubbard and box-pleated effects, trimmed in Val. lace, inserting and embroidery.

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retains all of its prestige and popularity. Here you can find everything that is stylish and up-to-date to clothe the infant and the child. Long, Short Coats and Reefers in a multiplicity of assortment, in silk, cashmere, Bedford cord, white pique and natural linen.

Infants' Caps and Bonnets

in possibly one hundred styles, from the neat prettily trimmed quarter grade, grading gradually up to the exclusive and elaborately trimmed finest mull or softest silk with chiffon Ribbon and lace embellishments.

Corner Fourth and Broad Streets.

SPEAKER RYAN SELECTS SOLDIERS

Personnel of the Lee Statue Senate and House Com-

of the measure, and are sons of brave Confederate veterans.

In his House appointments Speaker Ryan took five Confederate soldiers of bravery and distinction.

Hon, R. H. Davis, of Petersburg, though a young man, was with the army of the South from early in the action to the fierce fight at the carter in his native city, and his record was a fine one.

Both Captains Gent and Featherston were officers of distinguished bravery, and Messrs. Rice and Sipe fought gallantly throughout the war. The joint committee will confer with Sculptor Valentine shortly as to the character of the staute to be made by the latter.

SENT TO ASYLUM

Negro Woman Was Arrested and In Jall While Relatives Were Looking for Her.

All unknown to her children, who have been searching for her, an old negro woman of Henrico county has been arwoman of Henrico county has been ar-rested, tried before a commission of James Linch, Lunacy adjudged insune, and sent to the B. Stith, lunacy, adjudged insane, and sent to the asylum in Petersburg, where she is now incarcerated. Meanwhile her two sons have applied to the Richmond police for

information as to her whereabouts.

The woman's name is Nora Christian, and she lived at No. 1700 West Leigh Street. She was arrested some days ago in Varina district, whither she had doubtless strayed. The committee appointed by the School

Board to suggest a plan for raising the standard of the county schools met yes terday and proceeded with its work. Great interest is felt in the report of the committee, which will doubtless soon be presented.

A marriage license was issued in the clerk's office of the County Court yesterday to Mr. Henry M. Magie, of Richmond, chief engineer for the American Tobacco Company, and Miss Della W. Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Walker, of Brook Road. A negro named John Taylor, charged with cruelty to animals, was tried yestorday afternoon before 'Squire George W, Thomas.

PRIZE WINNERS

IN THE TIMES-DISPATCH WANT COLUMN

CARTOON CONTEST

SUSSEX COUNTY, VA. Ruth Mason.

LEESBURG, VA. Julian M. Brown.

GREEN SPRINGS, VA.

NORTON, VA.

BALUDA, VA. E. P. Ferguson.

Miss Dalsy Grubb SCOTTSVILLE, VA. Mrs. S. E. Beale.

WELDON, N. C. D. E. Stainback. MIDDLESEX, VA. Charles A. Taylor.

PETERSBURG, VA.
C. S. Edmunds.
CARTERSVILLE. VA.

BTOKES, VA. Mrs. L. A. Rock,

QUINQUE, VA.

CHRISTIANSBURG, VA.

KESWICK, VA. D. Grigsby Long.

FORT MONROB, VA. W. A. Wyche,

DANVILLE, VA. G. R. Blake.

MARION, VA.
Miss Margaret Venable.
SUFFOLIC, VA.
Jordan Floyd.

ORE BANK, VA.
J. C. Senger.

HOLLADAY, VA.
X. Y. Z.
HAMPTON, VA.
A. L. N.

SCOTTSVILLE, VA.

BOYKINS, VA.
Sidney R. Grizzard.
MIDDLESEX, VA.
James M. Bristow.

BUCHANAN, VA. Mrs. D. D. Booze, K. A. Painter.

Hundreds of Drawings Being Submitted from All Over the South-A Popular and Instructive Contest.

tion, Lieutenant-Governor Willard having announced the Senate end several days ago.

It is commented on in some quarters that the Senate is wholly represented by men who were not in the army.

The Senate spolntments are Messrs, Halsey, Wickham and Lyle. While none of them are ex-solders, being too young to have served their country, yet they are all in full accord with the objects of the measure, and are sons of brave Confederate veterans.

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contestants.

The six prizes for the best drawings submitted in last week's Times-Dispatch want column cartoon contest were awarded as follows: First prize, \$2 order—Miss F. W. Allen No. 8 South Market Street, Petersburg

Second prize, \$1 order-J. Handy Andy, Second prize, \$1 order—J. Handy Andy, Station A, city.
Third prize, \$1 order—Elizabeth Cabeli Moncure, Easton, Md.
Fourth prize, \$1 order—S, R., No. 903
East Marshall Street, city.
Fifth prize, \$1 order—Samuel B. Richardson, No. 116 Randolph Street, city.
Sixth prize, \$1 order—Mrs. Blanche A. Sith, Twenty-third Street, city, Special mention is due the following named contestants:

RICHMOND, VA.

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RICHMOND, VA.

Richard Schutte,

A. C. Stover,

A. F. Williams,

don, Miss H. M. Lester,

tith, S. O. Cox.

Mas. C. Samuels, J J. Walsh,
William Finch,
Mrs. M. W. Glass,
Jane Olemmer,
R. S. Fitzgerald,
Landon T. Gill,
E. A. Williams,
James Finch,
Raleigh Glass,
Bennie Dorset,
Caroline Jones,
M. G. meh, Amelia Telfair,
V. Glass, M. M. S.,
mer. Miss R. Duke,
gerald, J. Sitth,
Gill, Davenport,
inms, L. Fitzgerad,
ch, E. M. Hunter,
lass, C. W. Mitchell,
reet, Susie Pemberton,
nes, Arthur Collins,
LACKSTONE. VA

DANVILLE, VA.
R. Wylder Booker,
ABINGDON, VA.
W. W. B. B. W. W.,

BEDFORD, VA.
Mary McGee,
BRYDON, VA.
Miss Lens Jones.

Amelia Telfair, M. M. S., MISS S. I. COOKS.

M'DOWELL, VA.

Robert S. Hansel, R. S. Hansel,

BARTON HEIGHTS,

Hugh M. Moffat.

BLACKSTONE, VA.
Mrs. H. H. Seay. Bert Deshazor,
Miss Neta Tuggle.

Bought Virginia Farm.

Messrs. J. B. Elam & Company have just sold the handsome estate known as "Brightly." near Malden's, on the Chessapeake and Ohlo Raliroad, in Goochisad county, This is one of the handsomest and most beautifully located homes on climate.